







1. The views expressed in this statement represent the views of the Commission. My responses to any questions you may have are my own.

2. P.L. 102-243, 105 Stat. 2394, codified at 47 U.S.C. § 227. The FCC's regulations are set out at 47 C.F.R. § 64.1200.

3. 15 U.S.C. § 6108.

4. The Telephone Preference Service ("TPS") is a list of consumers who do not wish to receive outbound telemarketing calls. Although not advertised, it was established in 1985 and has been administered by DMA, which subsidizes the cost. DMA charges consumers \$5 to register online, but does not charge for registration in writing through conventional mail. At this time, DMA does not allow consumers to put themselves on the TPS by telephone. DMA requires its members to adhere to the list; the penalty for non